

Amendments to the Specification

Please replace the paragraph at p. 4, line 5 with the following amended paragraph:

Fig. 2A, ~~2B and 2C~~ illustrates the path of liquid removed from a vessel, such as a well of a microtiter plate by centrifugation. The straight lip at the upper end of each well of the microtiter plate prevents the liquid from entering the well closer to the edge of a centrifugal plate - this well is higher and the lip wall is tilted in the direction to the bottom of the plate. The large arrow represents the vector resulting from centrifugal and gravitational forces. The small arrow with thin trailing line illustrates the direction of the flow of liquid removed.